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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 14, 2006

In response to the Office Action dated March 14, 2006, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 14, 2006, with the attached Petition for a One Month Extension of Time, Applicants thank the Examiner for her time on June 6, 2006 and respectfully request allowance of the claims based on that discussion and the following.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

A listing of the pending Claims begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.